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P-8084.1

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Commissioner for Patents  
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RE: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/600,625 filed June 20, 2003, for "Modular, Self Contained, Engineered Irrigation Landscape and Flower Bed Panel"

Dear Sir:

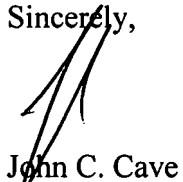
Enclosed please find the following for filing on the above-referenced patent application:

1. Response to Notice to File Corrected Application Papers;
2. "Replacement Drawing Sheets" (3 pages); and
3. Copy of the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers.

Please stamp the enclosed acknowledgment card with the date of receipt and return to my office.

If you have any questions concerning this matter, please feel free to call.

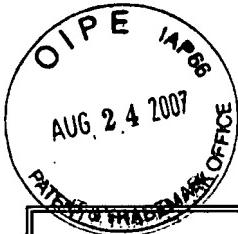
Sincerely,



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Joe Don Byles	ATTY DKT NO.: P-8084.1
SERIAL NO.: 10/600,625	ART UNIT: 7192
FILED: June 20, 2003	EXAMINER: Fredrick Lyndon Lagman
TITLE: Modular, Self Contained, Engineered Irrigation Landscape and Flower Bed Panel	
TO: Commissioner for Patents Post Office Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450	

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS**

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed June 29, 2007, wherein Applicant is requested to respond within 60 days (copy of Notice attached). Applicant herein responds within the time limited allowed.

**Identification of Drawing Deficiencies**

In the Notice identified above, Applicant is notified of the deficiencies in Fig. 6 as having "lines that are not intended to be part of drawings." Applicant is also requested to provide replacement drawings. Please find attached hereto the "REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEET" for Fig. 6, which has been corrected to remove lines that were not intended to be part of the drawing.

Upon review of the drawings submitted with Application Serial No. 10/600,625, Applicant found additional lines that were not intended to be part of the drawing due to flaws in the copying process. These deficiencies occurred in Figs. 2 and 3. Applicant herewith submits "REPLACEMENT DRAWING SHEETS" for Figs 2 and 3, which have been corrected to remove lines that were not intended to be part of the drawing.

### **CONCLUSION**

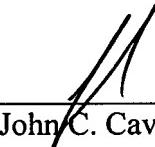
Applicant is of the belief that all issues raised in the Notice to File Corrected Application Papers mailed June 29, 2007 have been corrected.

No additional fees are believed to be required; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any required but unpaid fees from Gunn & Lee's deposit account no. 500808.

Respectfully submitted,

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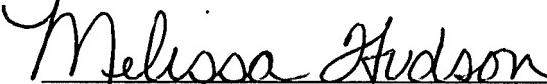
  
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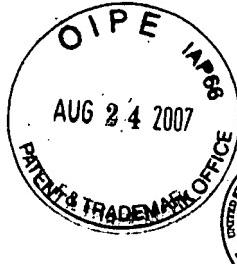


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## NOTICE TO FILE CORRECTED APPLICATION PAPERS

### *Notice of Allowance Mailed*

This application has been accorded an Allowance Date and is being prepared for issuance. The application, however, is incomplete for the reasons below.

Applicant is given 60 days from the mail date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below. If the informality pertains to the abstract, specification (including claims) or drawings, the informality must be corrected with an amendment in compliance with 37 CFR 1.121 (or, if the application is a reissue application, 37 CFR 1.173). Such an amendment may be filed after payment of the issue fee if limited to correction of informalities noted herein. See Waiver of 37 CFR 1.312 for Documents Required by the Office of Patent Publication, 1280 Off. Gaz. Patent Office 918 (March 23, 2004). In addition, if the informality is not corrected until after payment of the issue fee, for purposes of 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(iv), "all outstanding requirements" will be considered to have been satisfied when the informality has been corrected. A failure to reply will result in the application being ABANDONED. This period for reply is NOT extendable under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

See attachment.

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